

MAY 5.

Mr. THOMAS MEEHAN, Vice-President, in the chair.

Thirty-six persons present.

A paper entitled "Contributions to the Life-Histories of Plants, No. VI," by Thomas Meehan, was presented for publication.

Dr. Henry C. Chapman was invited to prepare a Biographical Notice of the late Dr. Joseph Leidy for publication in the Proceedings.

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MAY 12.

MEMORIAL MEETING.

Two hundred and thirty-two persons present.

REV. H. C. MCCOOK D.D., Vice President, called the meeting to order and then surrendered the chair to his associate Vice-President, MR. THOMAS MEEHAN, who, after stating the special object of the meeting to be a commemoration of the late President of the Academy, DR. JOSEPH LEIDY, invited DR. W. S. W. RUSCHENBERGER to preside. Dr. Ruschenberger having taken the chair the following papers were read in accordance with the report of the Committee appointed at the last meeting:—

HARRISON ALLEN M. D., on Dr. Leidy's work in Vertebrate Anatomy.

HENRY C. CHAPMAN M. D., on his work in Invertebrate Anatomy.

PROF. ANGELO HEILPRIN, on his work in Palaeontology and Geology.

JOSEPH WILLCOX, on his work in Mineralogy.

JAMES DARRACH M. D., on his work in Botany.

EDW. J. NOLAN M. D., on his Personal Character and Services to the Academy.

Remarks were also made by James J. Levick M. D., Daniel G. Brinton, Rev. H. C. McCook D. D., Mr. Isaac C. Martindale and Mrs. Elizabeth L. Bladen.

It was announced that Dr. Chapman had accepted the invitation to prepare a Biographical Notice of Dr. Leidy.